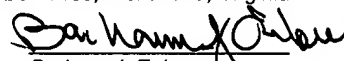


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Enclosed is an amendment in response to the Office action dated June 27, 2003.

Calculation of Fee

Item	Highest number paid for	Claims in Excess	Claim Fees	Fee Due
Number of Claims After Amendment 19	50	0	** x 18.00 = \$0	\$ 0
Independent Claims After Amendment 4	14	0	**x \$84.00 = \$0	\$ 0
Independent Claims: 31, 40, 48 and 51			Total Fees	\$ 0

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